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Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon,
Office Phenix Buildings corner East Water and Michigan streets.
... keeps constantly on hand Homoeopathic Medicines of all kinds for the supply of Physicians and families. jan1

CHARLES E. JENKINS,
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Milwaukee - - Wisconsin.
Office on Third street, near the Water Power, west side of the river next door south of the Mansion House. sept16 d1y1

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DR. DOUGLAS, Homoeopathic Physician.
Office corner of Wisconsin and Main street, over Miner and Earles' Dentist Rooms.
Dr D has always on hand Medicines in the various potencies and cases for physicians and families. n2

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Will make collections in Wisconsin and Northern Illinois.
Office in Dickerman's Block, East Water street, Milwaukee, - - - Wisconsin.
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FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Office Number 185 East Water street.
This Company is doing a safe and growing business. It numbers over 2,250 Policies; it hitherto has cost only about half as much as stock companies. All losses promptly paid.
sept14 d3 G J FOWLER General Agent.

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Dry Goods, Groceries, Cooking, Plate and Parlor Stoves, Tinner's Stock,
Nails, Glass, &c Manufacturers of Tin, Sheet Iron, and Copper Ware—and agents for the sale of Herring's Salamander Safes, Fairbank's Patent Scales, Meneley's Church Bells & Surveyor's Instruments.
Prompt attention paid to orders. sept16 d1

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Wholesale & Retail Grocers,
DEALERS IN
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H S BROWN, grateful to the citizens of Milwaukee and vicinity, for their generous patronage during the past three years, would inform them that out of regard to their good taste and comfort, as well as his own, he has removed his DAGUERRIAN GALLERY to more pleasant and commodious rooms, in "*Martin's Model Block*," corner of Wisconsin streets, over Crampton and Osborn's Store, where with a clear north light, and the largest Camera west of New York city, he will offer greater inducements than ever before in his branch of business. Persons visiting the city can have a good likeness taken in a few minutes. Plates, Cases, Cameras, Chemicals, Gold Lockets for sale. Young men furnished with Instruction and Outfits complete
sept16 d1

OLNEY'S OUTLINE MAPS—the cheapest in market oct22 S CHAPMAN

GARDINER'S
Wholesale and Retail
JEWELRY STORE,
163, Corner East Water and Michigan sts.
MILWAUKEE.

THE subscriber has just returned from New York, and offers to the citizens of Wisconsin the largest stock of WATCHES, JEWELRY, LAMPS, and FANCY GOODS, ever brought to Milwaukee—and to the Trade would say, that he can wholesale at prices 10 per cent less than ANY ESTABLISHMENT IN THE CITY, having bought the goods direct of the manufacturers. His stock consists in part of the following:

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.
Gold and silver Levers, Chronometers, Lepine, Cylinder and Vertical Watches; gold fob, guard and belt Chains; gold Lockets; diamond, pearl, garnett, ruby, turquoise, emerald, topaz, and opal Rings Pins, and Ear Rings, &c

SILVER AND PLATED WARE.
Silver Table and Tea Spoons, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Butter Knives, Fish Knives, Silver and plated Forks, Cups, Napkin Rings, Tea Setts, Salt Cellars, Cake Baskets, Castors, Servers, Candlesticks, etc

FANCY GOODS.
My assortment is very large in that line. Papier Mache Tables, Albums, Card Cases, and Porte Monaies of silver and pearl; Fans, a fine assortment; Purses, Pearl Beads, Opera glasses, Vases, Shell and Horn Combs.

GOLD PENS.
Levi Brown's, Bagley's, Benedict and Barney's, Hayden's, and *GARDINER'S BADGER PEN*, Milwaukee, a prime article, and which will be sold at reduced rates.

Superior Cutlery.
Dirk, Pen and Congress Knives, from one to six blades; Razors, Scissors, Steel Beads, Bag Clasps, steel Fob Chains; also a good stock of *COLT'S and ALLEN'S REVOLVERS.*

CLOCKS.
A large variety of French Mantel Clocks, from $10 to $40, and as for common Clocks, any quantity.

Lamps, Lamps, Lamps.
The largest assortment of Lamps in the city, consisting of four branches for churches, halls and hotels; Solar Lamps, Camphene, and Oil Hanging Lamps; side do, Lamp Globes of every size; camphene Lamp Chimneys, Lamp Wicks, etc. A large stock of

Music, Piano Fortes,
Melodeons, Guitars, Banjos, Flutes Accordeons and Music Boxes
from $5 to $40 each

Odd Fellows' Regalia and Trimmings.
Full setts for Lodges and private members; Silver Jewels for Lodges, a fine assortment; gold and silver U. S. Army Lace; Gimps, Bullion Fringe, Stars of every variety; Purse Twist, etc

MATERIALS FOR THE TRADE.
Every article that Watchmakers want, can be furnished as cheap as can be bought west of New York
☞ *Work for the Trade at the usual discount*
☞ **Cash paid for old Gold and Silver.**
S. GARDINER, Jr.
Milwaukee, Dec 12, 1850 d8m

NOTICE.—The subscriber is Agent for the following Papers, viz:
New-York Independent,
Journal of Am. Temperance Union,
Western Citizen, (Chicago,)
Oberlin Evangelist, and
Racine Commercial Advertiser.
Those wishing to subscribe for, or advertise in any of the above papers, will please forward to me
oct25-d&c A LOGAN, 37 Spring st

NEW PLANEING MACHINE.
J. P. Woodbury's Patent, with Stationary Cutters.
THE capacity of this Machine is unsurpassed, as to the quality or quantity of work performed, by any other mode of planeing. It produces a most perfect and uniform surface, making each board of uniform thickness and width. The matching is very superior.
Please call and examine, and observe the rule which is called "Golden," at Sweet's Warehouse, Walker's Point ROBERT E. GILLETT.
Milwaukee, Nov 15, 1850 d&c

HARDWARE.
JUST RECEIVED, direct from Sheffield, and which will be sold cheaper than ever before offered in Milwaukee, the following articles:
Table and Pocket Cutlery,
Millwright's Chisels and Gouges,
Double, single and cut Plane Irons,
Stubb's Taper Files, assorted,
Mill-saw and Bastard Files, assorted,
Square, Equalling and Taper Files,
Horse Rasps and Drawing Knives,
German & Cast Steel Framing Chisels & Firmers
Also, a prime assortment of English Wro't Nails
oct9-d&c LANGEE & REED, 235 East Water st

MONEY! MONEY!!
CAPITALISTS or any persons having Money to lend desirous of obtaining from 12 to 20 per cent. and in some instances, under certain circumstances even a *higher* rate, can have it invested on *perfect security* at not less than from one to two per cent., and the business done in *strict confidence.*
GEORGE E. H DAY,
sept16 Dickerman's Block.

MILWAUKEE HOUSE,
Corner Main street and Washington Avenue, a few doors east U. S. Hotel.
By SKINNER & AHLUM.
The above well known and established House having been refitted enlarged and improved throughout, and neatly furnished, has been leased for a term of years, by CHAS. SKINNER, late of the American, in this city, and Mr. AHLUM, formerly of the Franklin House, Fort Winnebago
New Furniture throughout, of the best style, and all other conveniences, have been supplied, to make it a First Class Hotel, and it is the determination of the proprietors to have it kept in good style.
A long experience, and great facilities for the business, enable us to make this House in all respects what it should be.
Plenty of barn and stable room, and plenty of good hay and oats always on hand
☞ Our old customers and friends, and the public generally are invited to give us a call.
CHAS. SKINNER, — M. AHLUM.
Milwaukee, Nov 30, 1850 d&c

Gift Books for the Holidays.
READ'S Female Poets of America;
Whittier and Longfellow's Poems;
Pilgrim's Progress, gilt extra;
Headley's Sacred Scenes and characters, gilt;
Winter's Bloom; Flora's Gift;
Christmas Tribute; Friendship's Offering;
Harvest Gleanings; Rose of Sharon;
Snow Flake; Remember me; Garland,
Amaranth; Gift; Gem; Scott; Campbell;
Hemans; Wordsworth; Cowper; Byron; Milton;
Burns; Moore; Headley's works, complete;
Family Bibles, plain, fancy, gilt and extra, from $1.75 to $18. A beautiful variety of small tuck, clasp and closet Bibles; Prayer Books, the best selected assortment ever brought to this market.
Miniature Tokens, together with a large variety of fancy and plain Gift Books for children
The Good Child's Library, consisting of the lives of the Saviour and Apostles, each containing three oil prints.
The Child's Miniature Quarto Library;
All to be sold as usual, at the lowest price.
dec10 SILAS CHAPMAN, 7 Michigan st

INSURANCE AGENCY,
No. 177 EAST WATER ST.
THE UTICA INSURANCE COMPANY, organised in May last, under the General Insurance Law of New York, with a capital well secured of $100,000, is now in successful operation, and will insure buildings, Goods, Wares and Merchandize in this city and vicinity, at the current rates of premium, for one year, on the cash or stock plan, or three years on the premium note system, as the applicants may desire.
The Directors of this Institution have been selected from among the worthy and substantial citizens of Central New York, and the public are assured that every loss sustained by this Agency will be promptly adjusted and paid by the subscriber, who is fully authorised to issue policies and make all contracts pertaining to insurance.

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Milwaukee, Sept 16, 1850 d1c36

LAND WARRANTS—Under any or all the laws of Congress, from the Revolution to the late Act granting Bounty Lands to officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the Military Service of the U. S, obtained upon the most reasonable terms. I have an agent in Washington who has long been familiar with business in the Departments who will attend to any business promptly. I will procure Land Warrants, Extra Pay, Back Pay, or any other claims on the Government at Washington.
GEORGE E H. DAY.
Nov. 6, 1850 Dickerman's Block

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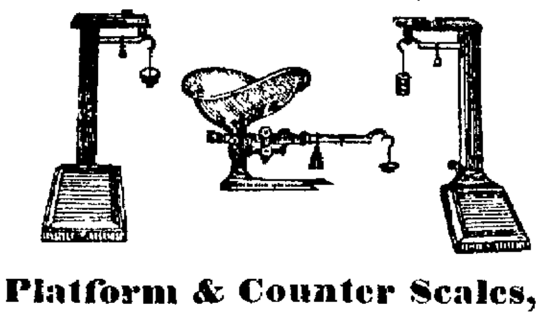

Platform & Counter Scales,
For sale by
SHEPARD, BONNELL & WILLIAMS,
july23 Agents for the Manufacturers.

CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STAEST Farr's History of England.
Agents wanted to circulate the above Works, to whom liberal terms will be given.
paril2 S CHAPMAN

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST
COOKING STOVE
in use—Sold by the People's Agents,
At the Stove Depot,
19 SPRING STREET, - MILWAUKEE,
Where can be found the Bang-up
AIR-TIGHT AND HOT-AIR COOKING STOVE,
which for beauty, utility and cheapness, is not surpassed by any other Stove in the country. It has an Oven, which for capacity and facility for baking is unrivalled, and, compared with many other Stoves, requires but little fuel. As we warrant our stoves every way perfect, purchasers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. We keep on hand a general assortment of
Cooking, Parlor, Coal and Box Stoves.
Also, keep on hand and manufacture to order, a general assortment of
Copper, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware.
N.B. JOB WORK done to order.
T. & D. J. MILLAR & CO.
November 2, 1850 d42e48

IMMENSE ARRIVAL
OF
HARD WARE.
FOR THE FALL TRADE OF
1850. 1850.
AT THE NEW HARDWARE STORE,
☞ WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.
A. K. WILLIAMS,
SIGN OF THE MILL SAW,
Number 25 Spring street, one door east of the
AMERICAN HOUSE
Has just received and now opening a large and extensive assortment of
Hardware, Cutlery, Iron, Nails, Steel, Glass, &c
which he will sell at the lowest cash prices, at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
Persons wishing to purchase, would do well to call and examine his stock before buying elsewhere—among which may be found
BUILDERS' HARDWARE.
Locks, Latches, Butts, Screws, and every variety of House Trimmings
CUTLERY.
Table and Pocket Knives, Razors, Scissors and Shears.
CARPENTERS' TOOLS.
Planes, Chisels, Augers, Drawing Knives, Axes, Hatchets, Adzes and Hammers.
COOPERS' TOOLS.
Knives, Howels, Jointers, Truss Hoops, &c.
BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS.
Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Screw Plates.
FILES—Hand and mill saw, flat, half round, round and square Bastard, Cabinet and Wood Rasps and Files.
IRON—A general assortment of American, English and Swedes.
AXES—Hunt's, Collins', Simmons' and Davis'. Shovels, Spades, Log, Coil and Trace Chains, Paint Mills, Counter Scales, Pumps, and a general assortment of Tinned and Enamelled Ware.
Also, AGENT FOR PITTSBURGH CITY and COUNTRY GLASS.
Milwaukee, Oct 28, 1850 d1we2m

STEEL PENS, Pocket Inkstands, Styles, Crayon's Gold Paper, Tracing Paper, Drawing Pencils Paints, C. H. Pencils, &c. &c.
jan15 S. CHAPMAN

SOAP, CANDLES and SALERATUS, by the box, at Factory prices, Number 15 Spring street
oct28 WEST & CURTIS

BUTTER! BUTTER!! BUTTER!!!
JUST RECEIVED, at the Cash Store, a lot of genuine fresh Butter, from a large dairy in Illinois, which I will sell in quantities from 1 pound up to 500 for cash, or bankable notes.
sept16 H. CLARK, 39 Spring st.

MENOMONEE HOTEL.
By D. N. NEIMAN.
West Water st., near Spring street bridge,
MILWAUKEE. 37

BOOK-BINDING ESTABLISHMENT.
AN OLD FRIEND IN A NEW PLACE!
Blank Book Manufactory and Stationery.
170 East Water street,
Third door north of Michigan street, up stairs,
And 335 Third st., 2d Ward, old stand,
Milwaukee, - - Wisconsin.

HENRY NIEDECKEN,
A PRACTICAL BOOK-BINDER of long experience, in all its branches, would most respectfully inform the citizens of Milwaukee and the surrounding country, that he is prepared to bind any description of Books, being possessed of the best gilding and finishing tools, and keeping constantly on hand the first quality of binding material. He has found it necessary, by reason of increasing business, (consequent upon his low price and superior quality of work and materials,) to open another
Bindery, Ruling and Blank Book Establishment,
for the convenience of his "down town" friends, at the above mentioned place, where he will be happy to see his old customers and as many new ones as will favor him with their patronage.
Blank Books for banks, merchants, county clerks, recorders, auditors, treasurers, school commissioners, magistrates, insurance offices, &c, manufactured in the best manner, which in elegance, durability, and superiority of style and finish, will not be surpassed by any eastern manufacturer. In all his large blank books, he uses the improved patent mode of sewing, which gives strength, with great elasticity, and is incomparably superior to any other method for blank books, and will keep the leaves firm and solid while the book lasts, instead of coming to pieces, as is often the case with all other methods. No additional charge is made for this improvement.
Machine Ruling.—Ruling of every description, for blank books, tax lists, &c, neatly and promptly executed.
Fancy Articles.—He is also prepared to make all kinds of fancy articles, such as ladies' and gentlemen's portfolios, caskets, card, spectacle and segar cases, pocket books, &c, with neatness and despatch.
Ruled Music Paper.—He will also keep on hand a supply of blank paper ruled for manuscript music, which he can sell at so low a price that it will be a great saving of time, labor and money, to buy this all ruled and ready for writing the music
Albums, Magazines, Music Books, &c, will be bound with the greatest care, and in a neat and elegant style, to which the attention of the ladies is most particularly invited.
Bibles, Hymn, Prayer and School Books,
are constantly kept on hand, as also
STATIONERY, of all kinds, such as writing paper, ink, quills, steel pens, sealing wax, slates, writing books, and wafers, and a variety of books too numerous to mention.
GILT PICTURE FRAMES.
He is also in constant receipt, (imported direct from Germany by himself,) of a superior article of gilt frames, of all sizes, which he will sell at prices which cannot fail of suiting purchasers. He will be happy to show his goods and style of work to all who will favor him with a call, as he is confident that he can please every variety of taste. By good work and honest dealing, he expects to gain the patronage of the citizens of Milwaukee and the surrounding country oct12 d24

ECLECTIC SERIES OF SCHOOL BOOKS.
EMBRACING a full series of Spelling, Reading and Arithmetic. I do not get them by *the cord*, they being carefully counted, and sold *in the same manner.* I have enough to supply every customer who comes with the cash, and at the lowest rates. Country Dealers supplied. oct22 SILAS CHAPMAN.

Milwaukee S. S. Depository.
THE following NEW WORKS have just been received, with a large invoice of the Am. S. S Union's Publications:
Life of Luther; the Reformation; Little Jim;
Senses and the Mind; Geography of Plants;
Grace Dermott; Swiss Pastor; The book of Ballads.
Anniversary Hymns and Music
VILLAGE AND FAMILY LIBRARY, 24 vols. 192 pages, 18mo., handsomely bound—the whole for Three Dollars. J. W. VAIL.
Milwaukee, July 30, 1850.

PRINTING INK.—A fresh supply of Printing Ink, of various colors and superior quality; Also, Varnish, Gold Size, Gold and Silver Bronze, etc etc just received by ROOD & WHITTEMORE

LOOK HERE.
RECEIVED by this morning's Express, at the Mammoth News Depot, No. 9 Michigan street, another cargo of New Works, among which may be found—
Lizzie Leigh, a new work by Dickens;
Marriage Contract, by Harriet Raikes.
Evelyn, by Mrs J H Robinson.
Tom Stapleton, or 202 Broadway
Indiana, by George Sand, &c &c.
Together with a large assortment of English and American newspapers.
may28 JOHN TANNER.

READY MADE CLOTHING—on consignment, for sale at cost in Boston. E. D. HOLTON,
may1 16 and 18 Spring street

BANK NOTE REPORTERS.—Constantly receiving, Thompson's and Taylor's Bank Note Reporters and Coin Charts. For sale wholesale and retail at july22 TANNER'S, 7 Michigan street.

BUTTER FIRKINS—In any quantity; also Pork Barrels, &c oct15 LANGE & REED

CRANE'S PATENT SOAP—By which clothes can be washed clean without boiling or pounding, for sale for one shilling per bar, by
oct11 LANGE & REED, opposite City Hotel

PSYCOPATHY!
Intuitive Medical Science!
THE PHYSICIAN—A new and great Medical Work, by Andrew Jackson Davis, the celebrated Clairvoyant; author also of the Principles of Nature, Revelations, &c, just received on sale at the office of Dr A PRATT, near the Post Office. The only book of the kind in the world. It goes for Reform, Freedom of Reason, Eclecticism, Natural Principles and Natural Remedies. Just the work for the inquiring, truth-loving and professional mind—full of new development in the Science of Medicine and Nature.—Price $1,50. Address, post paid, A. P., Milwaukee.
oct15-d25w46

SCHOOL BOOKS—A new supply this day received. mh28 S CHAPMAN.

BUTTER! BUTTER!—Half a ton of first rate butter, just received from the country, by
oct9 LANGE & REED.

LETTER AND CAP PAPER—Prices from $2.00 to $8,00 per ream, at BIRD'S Cheap Cash Bookstore
dec10dc 185 East Water street

250 OZS BRONZE, all colors, gold, silver, green crimson, blue, &c this day received and for
sept25 sale by S. JOHNSON. Jr

SCHOOL and Writing Books—Fulton's and Winchester's Writing Books, in numbers, for sale by ROOD & WHITTEMORE, 197 East Water st

DOWNING'S FRUIT and Fruit Trees; Brown's Carpenter's Assistant; Olendorf's French Grammar—this day received.
mrh2 CHAPMAN, 8 Michigan st.

100 DIFFERENT STYLES PAPER-HANGINGS,
NEW and beautiful patterns, just received, and for sale at the lowest prices, by
sept26 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

PRINTS.—A large assortment, bought at auction for cash, and will be sold at a low price for cash to country dealers. E. D. HOLTON,
may1 No 16 and 18 Spring street.

Fresh Arrival at the Cash Store
Number 39 Spring street.
This day received, a fresh lot of
BROWN AND CLARIFIED SUGARS
And SUGAR-HOUSE MOLASSES,
which can be bought as cheap as at any other house. Also, SOAP and CANDLES. july20

WOODEN WARE.—Niagara Falls Pine Pails, by the dozen, at the same price of Milwaukee Bass-wood; also the old Miner ware, manufactured at Jordan, New York, at 15 Spring street
oct26 WEST & CURTIS

SAVINGS BANKING,
Exchange and Loan Office.
DRAFTS ON NEW-YORK SOLD
At the lowest current rates.
Eastern Exchange and Gold Coin purchased.
MONEY LOANED
On short or long time, at low rates, in any county in this State; also in the northern part of Illinois, on unincumbered and productive real estate.
Applications for Loans by letter.
postage paid, will receive prompt attention.
MONEY RECEIVED ON DEPOSITE,
payable on demand.
☞ Also will pay interest on money deposited for stated periods
Office 168 *East Water street, Milwaukie.*
L. P. & R. K. SWIFT.
Milwaukee, Sept 16, 1850 d1

NEW AND INTERESTING BOOKS.
THE Earl's Daughter, Gertrude, Amy Herbert,
Grace Leslie, Ellen Middleton, Norman Leslie,
The Vale of Cedars, The Rebels, Heloise,
James Montjoy, or I've been thinking;
A Summer in Scotland, Uses and abuses of air.
The Hungarian Struggle for Freedom,
Lives of Mary and Martha Washington,
Freemason's Monitor, &c &c—for sale by
oct5 ROOD & WHITTEMORE.

Doors! Doors!
JOHN LAPOINTE
TAKES this method to inform his old customers and the world at large, that he has removed to PALMER'S STONE BUILDING, (the next above the Old Shop,) where he continues to keep on hand the largest and best assortment of
Sash, Blinds, and Doors,
to be found in the State, which he will sell at the lowest cash price. ☞ Persons in want of any work usually found in a Sash and Blind Shop, will save money by giving him a call. All orders promptly attended to.
Milwaukee, Dec 25 1848. 4tf

THE SUBSCRIBER
WILL EXCHANGE WILD LANDS IN
Sheboygan and Washington Counties,
For City Property.
sept18 d3 G J FOWLER.

SALERATUS—A genuine article, manufactured by E. D. HOLTON, (successor to I. E Goodall,)
may1 No. 16 and 18 Spring st., Milwaukee.

NEW GOODS!
THIS DAY received, at the CASH STORE, 39 Spring street, SUGARS, loaf and crushed, clarified N. O., and Porto Rico.
TEAS, Rio and Java COFFEE, Rice, Pepper, Pepper Sauce, Cassia, Mustard, Soap and Candles. Tobacco. Salt. Codfish. oct3

JUST PUBLISHED—The "Serenade Waltz," composed by Prof J T Wameleik, and for sale at nov20 ILSLEY'S Music Store, 192 East Water st

H. S. BURTON & CO.
No. 7 Holton's Block, Spring street,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Groceries, Leather, Findings
Nails, Glass, Dried Apples, &c. &c.
MANUFACTURERS OF SOAP & CANDLES.
Cash paid for Hides, Tallow and Soap Grease
Milwaukee, Sept 1, 1850 d1

LUDINGTON & CO.
Old Corner Store,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE.
LUMBER, SALT, &c.
Milwaukee, May 29, 1849. 1y

P. BARKER,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
Hats, Caps, Furs, Muffs, Buck Gloves and Mittens, Hosiery, Buffalo Robes,
Umbrellas, Overshoes, and every thing kept in the line, wholesale or retail, at unusually low prices.
☞ Country Dealers will find it to their advantage to give us a call before they make their purchases elsewhere. All orders from the country promptly attended to.
☞ Cash paid for Shipping Furs.
194 East Water street, Milwaukee.
sept16 6m d&c4

EDWARD D. HOLTON,
NO 16 and 18 SPRING ST.
(opposite American Hotel,)
Manufacturer of Saleratus,
AND DEALER IN
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
And PRODUCE.

Shepard, Bonnell & Williams,
AT THEIR NEW STORES,
Nos. 87, 89 and 91 East Water street,
DEALERS IN
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THE BURNS SUPPER.

At 8½ o'clock on Friday evening, Jan. 24th, the Scotchmen and admirers of Burns who had gathered to do honor to the memory and birth-day of Scotland's Poet, met in the front parlor of Mr. BELDEN, of the "Home," and temporarily organized by appointing DAVID FERGUSON, Esq., chairman. Upon motion, ARTHUR McARTHUR, Esq., — a full blooded, whole-souled Scotchman—was elected President, and ROBERT MENZIES, another such a one, Vice President.

E. A. CALKINS was elected Secretary, and supper announced.

At the word, the folding doors were thrown open, the company was ushered into the splendid suite of rooms, and took their seats—thirty as good fellows as ever gathered to do honor to a festive board.

The supper was got up in the host's best style, and consisted of fowl, game of all kinds, oysters, the usual side dishes, pastry and dessert. One of the speakers who stated that it was the best supper ever furnished in Milwaukee, did not exaggerate its merits. Full justice was done to the good things provided, which interesting operation occupied some two hours.

We must not forget to mention that immediately after the first course, the national dish of Scotland was brought upon the table—"a warm, reekin', rich" Burns' address to the *Haggis* was recited by Vice President Menzies, with true national fervor. The "Chieftain o' the puddin' race" was then cut up with "ready slight" and dished around, to the gratification of all.

After the removal of the cloth, the regular toasts were introduced by the President, with the following remarks:

GENTLEMEN The position in which your favor has placed me, this evening, imposes upon me a touching and sacred duty, and although I assume it with embarrassment, yet I proceed to discharge it with a thrilling sensation of pleasure, as grateful to my own feelings as the light is to the eye, or the ruddy drop to the heart which it warms. It is to ask you to join in acknowledging the great name to which we offer this festive ovation, and to render a united and fervid homage to the undying memory which we now celebrate and honor.

And what a memory it is! How rich, to profusion, in all the sweet, the gentle, and sportive melodies of nature!

The natural productions of a country assume, from the soil and climate which give them birth, the qualities that distinguish them. Their usefulness, however, is not thus confined; for they can make the circuit of the world and minister to the wants and comforts, and supply the pleasures and luxuries of other climes, near or remote, without reference to geographical position. And so it is with the genius of certain men, for although their works are modelled upon the times in which they live, and are imbued with the peculiarities of the nation to which they belong, yet stamped, as they are, with the impress of genius, and inspired with the unity and power which truth finds in all minds, they transcend all national limits, and pass from people to people, from tongue to tongue, and from empire to empire, until they sweep the round earth itself, as the vast field of their beneficent achievements. And such a genius was that of Burns. To be sure it was the glory of his life to sing the loves and the joys, the history and traditions of his countrymen, and to commemorate in his immortal verse the romantic scenery of the land he loved so well—the land of legend and of marvel. And all these he lights and inspires with the universal spirit which belongs to poetry, so that his strains are recognized every where, and received by all civilized communities, as those of nature and truth. His fame, therefore, like his works are the heritage of the whole human family, and his is one of

> "The few, the immortal names,
> That were not born to die."

Three quarters of a century have swept over the fields of time, since Burns tuned his lyre and "sang his wood-notes wild." He was associated in the labors of the harvest, as was the custom of the country with a young female. It was his own sweet handsome Nell. Her fair soul and artless beauty inspired him with the delicious passion. It stirred the streaming tide of feeling in that great heart, and thrilled him with the true magnetism of nature. His emotion escaped in the measured lyre, and thus poetry and love commenced with him together. The hidden fires which glow in the earth, betray themselves thro' the opening on its surface. And so with Burns. The dormant feelings, till then repressed, burst through the outlet of his love, and murmured in the deathless creations of his genius. His love spoke in the name of his genius, and never did poetry breathe the divine sentiment in such strains of simple and impassioned beauty.

From these first dawnings of his muse, until his short and checkered life was terminated by a premature death, how beautiful and varied was his verse—what combinations of fancy and pathos—of wit and sentiment, glowing with the freshness which decays not with time, but, like truth, blooms eternally the same. It would be vain in me to recount the beauties of his lines, which more than any natural features of his country, have rendered classic the scenes of Scotland, and made her romantic streams and storied glens, the shrines of taste and genius. You know them all. They have become the proverbs of his country; and so universal is the fame which they have created for him, that we, this evening, present the wonderful spectacle of a festive band, in honor of his memory, in what, during his life time, was the hidden recess of a barbarous continent. In what was then the unreclaimed wilderness, we commemorate the birth-day of Burns.

We are reminded of the adversities which fell to his experience while living, and of the poverty, which, though it depressed his condition, was not sufficient to freeze the genial current of his soul. His wonderful gifts and manly soul rendered him superior to fortune. What then though

> "Burns o'er the plough sang sweet his wood-notes wild,
> And Richest Shakspeare was a poor man's child

Such men have that within them which renders their happiness independent of external objects, and invests their life and character with better things than those which either wealth or power can purchase. Their outward lot may be humble and cheerless; but the light of poetic genius shines within, dilating the soul with dreams and reveries of love, and light, and beauty. And the exquisite associations of thought are united with the smiling train of humor, and the exhaustless flow of wit, and melody. Such is the wealth of the living mind, which moths cannot corrupt, nor thieves break throug hand steal. But I detain you too long. In closing I have but to say, that your instinctive sense, of what is due to the sentiment I am about to offer, will bring you to your feet in reverent silence, while I propose, "the memory of Burns."

1. *The Memory of* BURNS.

Drank standing, and in silence—followed by the singing of a mournful dirge on the death of Burns, never published. Sang by Menzies and Hyslop; Ilsley accompanying.

2. *Scotland.*—Her Poets, authors, and heroes.

MR. MENZIES, Vice President, rose and spoke nearly as follows:

I rise Mr. Chairman, with peculiar pleasure at the first gathering of my countrymen in this city, to respond to the toast you have just read. Scotland occupying but a small portion of this world's surface, stands out in relief upon the page of history, we love her not only for the majestic grandeur of her mountains, the beauty of her fertile straths, her fairy glens, or sweet flowing rivers—sung in classic strains by her poetic sons—but we love her for the manly independence of her children, the noble stand she has always taken in defence of *Liberty*, and for the genius of her sons which has made her name "familiar as a household word." What shall I say of her poets, of Scott the wizard of the North, of Campbell and Cunningham, of Beattie and Hogg, of Pollock and Graham, and of him whose birthday we have met to celebrate. They have consecrated every glen and heath-girt loch, every mountain and stream, and given a charm to every period of her romantic history. Hume, and Robertson, Stewart and Reid, Jeffrey and Chalmers, Allison and Macauly, and glorious old Kit North, are among her gifted authors. And what, my countrymen, what—of her heroes?—of Wallace who with his single arm turned back the tide of English oppression, and broke the charm of England's power? What though his head adorned the hoary turrets of London's Tower—his mantle fell upon the noble Bruce,—his blood watered the seeds of liberty, which springing up, brought forth such glorious fruit upon the field of Bannockburn? What of the long line of Scotland's kings and chieftains, whose deeds of valor form the history of our country, and which ended in a desperate struggle, on the field of Culloden in behalf of Bonnie Prince Charlie?—of Abercromby, who fell in victory on the plains of Egypt?—of Moore, who received his death wound while leading on his countrymen at Corunna, and of that band of heroes, who in Egypt and India, in Spain and at Waterloo, gave such proofs of that "fierce native daring," as lead the poet so truthfully to sing:

> "And you loved warriors of the minstrel's land,
> Yonder your bonnets nod, your tartans wave;
> The rugged form may mark the mountain band.
> The features harsher and the mien more grave,
> But ne'er in battle-field throbbed heart so brave,
> As that which beats beneath the Scottish plaid,
> And when the pibroch bids the battle rave,
> And level for the charge your arms are laid,
> Where lives the desperate foe who for such onset stayed?"

But I cannot pass in silence those heroes in another cause whose names have graced the annals of our beloved land—of Knox, who, fearless in the presence of kings, spoke the unwelcome truth with an unblanched cheek—of Hamilton and Wishart, who sealed their testimony with their blood—of those who beneath the blue banner of the Covenant battled manfully against tyranny and oppression?

But why say more, I have but recalled a tithe of those illustrous names, famous in Scottish story. Rise, then, gentlemen, and unite in drinking with all the honors,

"*Scotland.*—Her Poets, Authors, and Heroes.

Mr. MENZIES was followed by the reading of an original Poem by Mr. R. SHIELLS, who gave it with an unction and enthusiasm that added much to its force and beauty. He was frequently interrupted by applause, as each well known locality was mentioned, and the hearers hearts thrilled at the sound of names renowned and scenes immortalized by heroism, and deeds that inspire with a deathless and sacred interest.

A POEM.

BY ROBERT SHIELLS.

How true's the proverb, yet how very odd,
A Scotchman's ne'er at home, but when abroad!
Still, though he wander far, within his breast
Some image of his much-loved land 's impress.
Some dream of youth, or childhood, still remains,
Linked with the memory of his native scenes.
No varying change in which he bears a part,
Can e'er efface that image from his heart.
No spot so distant, wheresoe'er he roam,
But what his *thoughts* can wing their way to *home*.
And proudly do our thoughts to Scotia turn,
Proudly we hail the land where we were born,
Where every lofty hill and swelling mound,
And every fertile strath, is *classic ground*;
Where every trotting burn, and wimpling stream,
And foaming linn, have been a poet's theme;
Where every tower that long has braved the blast,
And every glen, has legends of the past;
Where every cairn speaks of days of yore,
And every nook is rich in ancient lore;
Where every heath-bell that adorns the vale,
And every muirland fern, can tell a tale;
Where every thistle waving on the bent,
Cries "Hooly lad, I redd ye to tak tent;"
Where John O'Groat's first claims the poet's strain,
And Maidenkirk completes the classic chain—
What though they speak of days and men remote?
Still we can trace each venerated spot.
Stil feel our hearts with patriotism burn,
And visit Ellerslie, and Bannockburn:
Still gaze on Holy-Rood, whose turrets gray
Speak of a race that long has passed away.
Still view St Andrew's time-worn towers and spires,
Where Knox and Melville thundered forth their fires.
Scone's ancient palace still invites our stay,
And Perth's *fair city* yet adorns the Tay.
Edina's fortress still keeps watch and ward,
As when, in days of yore, the Douglas dared
To win her from the proud oppressor's thrall,
And hurled th' intruders from the castle wall,
Fair Stirling stands, (the links of Forth beneath,)
As when the "auld Goodman of Ballengeich,"
Alternate, in disguise pursued his sport,
Or flirted with the beauties of his court.
The Grampians still might shelter warlike clans,
Careless of aught, save of their Chief's commands,
Ready for private feud, or battle fray,
Their only rule—to hear, and then obey.
The Cheviots, too, could many a tale disclose,
Of fierce moss-troopers and their Southron foes;
Of moonlight forays, that the needy Chief
Might fill his Scottish byres with English beef;
Of bold attacks, when the news spread disorder,
As Percy heard—the clans have crossed the border.
More recent records, too, may claim a word.
How ruthless persecution bared her sword,
How tyrants strove t' enslave the minds of men,
But strove, as tyrants ever did, in vain;
How noble men, refusing to obey,
Poured out their blood like water, day by day;
How gallant Cameron's life-blood stained the heath,
And youthful Renwick died a felon's death;
How bloody Clavers led his murderous host,
Drumclog was won, and Bothwell Brig was lost;
How every lonely moor, and sheltering wood,
Were consecrated with a martyr's blood.
Nor is Culloden's fatal field forgot,
And brave Prince Charlie's sad, disastrous lot.
A stranger filled the Stuart's throne.
But Charles hoped still to make that seat his own.
To him the Highland Chiefs their homage paid,
And ready clansmen bared the battle blade;
And zealous friends (more zealous far than wise)
Perilled and lost their fortunes and their lives.
Their hapless fate a tear will often claim,
While memory *loathes* at Cumberland's proud name
But modern days have brought more modern men—
The sword is waning fast before the pen
And Scotia's records show, how many a son,
In Learning's walks, have proudest laurels won;
How many a prudent Statesman is her boast;
How Commerce sought her long-neglected coast;
How peaceful Science there her flag unfurled.
And *Watt* and *Steam* combined, have changed the world;
How many a gifted poet's witching strains
Have sung her mountains blue, and fertile plains.
The North's great Wizard threw his magic spell,
O'er every Highland loch, and Lowland dell:
From his exhaustless pen new fictions poured,
Till lands remote have heard of Abbotsford.
But peerless, high among the tuneful race,
The *People's Poet* claims the noblest place;
Whose verse, untrammelled by the rules of art,
Comes home at once to every Scottish heart;
Whose sweetest strain no borrowed image knows,
No fancied joys, or visionary woes.
His was at once the power, and privilege rare,
To sketch the Scottish people as they are
Even here, by Michigan's wide-spreading flood,
Where Indian wigwams have but lately stood,
His name has made our little band unite,
And brought us here to spend the festive night
Long may our country, and our country's fame,
Have, even in the West, an honored name!
And, as each circling year this day returns,
Still may we meet to toast the memory of BURNS

3. *America.*—Her simple, but sublime history, inspires the hopes of humanity in every clime.

MR. MCGREGOR being called out, remarked:

That he supposed some of his friends had called on him to respond to this toast, thinking that while he was something of a Scotchman he was more of a Yankee than themselves. As to that, he would say that he was an American before he was a Scotchman—for he was a Yankee born, but it was only as he grew up and was capable of thought and observation, that he became in sentiment, feeling and affection for the dear old land—a Scotchman. He would have no one suppose, however, that while love for Scotland grew with his growth, his love for "the land we live in" did not increase ten fold.

It was permitted us to love Scotland *much*, but we must love America more; Scotland might be to us a dear mother; but America must be the wife of our bosom. It was proper on this occasion to touch upon topics which should excite in us feelings of love, admiration, gratitude, and patriotism towards America.—The discovery of America had changed the fate of the world, and given new impulse and direction to the destinies of nations. It had opened at once an asylum to the oppressed, and a field of exertion to the enterprising of all nations. The celebrated Pilgrim Fathers were an example. Had America been undiscovered their descendants instead of being driving spirits in the universal Yankee nation might have been dyke tending peasants in Holland, or broad bottomed burghers of Amsterdam

The same cause had wrought the downfall of Spain and had developed the resources of those small northern nations whose decendants were destined to overspread and master the whole surface of the earth. The discovery of America was a great event and could not but do much "to inspire the hopes of humanity in all lands," but our gratitude and veneration were especially due to the founders of this republic. The destinies of British Colonies and of these "free and independent states" were wide as the poles asunder. As Scotchmen, we could not but be grateful for the advantages we here enjoy. It was true this was no asylum from oppression for those of our race—for the power never yet existed on this earth that could make Scotchmen slaves—but we are here surrounded by circumstances and materials far more favorable to progress and prosperity than in the old world. How differently had passed the life of Burns in this land—how much happier the man—how much less the poet. But gentlemen to the toast:

"*America.*—Her simple but sublime history inspires the hopes of humanity in all lands."

4. *The Parochial Schools of Scotland.*—The source of that general intelligence that distinguishes her people.

Responded to by Mr. JOHNSTON, in well delivered and appropriate remarks.

5. *The Poets of America.*

H. W. TENNEY, Esq., being called for, rose and said:

He would take a little wider range than the toast, and speak of poets and poesy in general, of whose admiring train he professed to be.—He thought the dignity and importance of poetry was generally under estimated. What was it that had brought this intelligent assemblage together around this festive board, furnished, he would say, more luxuriously and tastefully than any other supper that had been given in the city. It was to celebrate the birth of one who, in his outward relations to society, was of the lowest class—a Scotch farmer of the last century, who lived and died "over the waters." And it was to do homage to the divine light of poesy, which had raised up that man to be the heart, and voice, and glory of his country, and of the world, especially of the sphere in which his lot was cast—"the lowly train in life's sequestered scene." And was that man's power over the hearts of men small, whose memory could thus call us together in this distant land and age, and elicit such a warmth of feeling as had been here expressed? Or was that homage misplaced, and were we rendering undue honor to an idle dreamer? It was not so. Burns was the very soul of Scotland. His genius has thrown a glory over every hill and plain and river of his native land. It had gone as a shining light before his countrymen, furnishing them thought, sentiment, and manly feeling, and giving powerful utterance to every emotion which they were able to conceive only in comparative weakness. What Scotchman had not felt his soul enlightened, elevated and purified by the genius of Burns? And was it of little account thus to form the character of a people, and raise them up to a true appreciation of the sublime, and beautiful and good? But Burns had not only formed and ennobled Scottish character, but had diffused its glory, inseparably interwoven with his own, over the whole civilized world. Whoever knew Scotland knew Burns, and whoever knew Burns, loved Scotland for his sake. And not only so, but he had embalmed the life and character of Scotland, and made it immortal. For Burns could not die, while a human heart beat. Every monument of his race might perish, and all their labors "dwindle to a song"—even his native mountains might crumble with age, but he was beyond the reach of time. Most truly might it be said of him, as he had said of "honest Allan"—

> "The teeth o' Time may gnaw Tamtallan,
> But *thou's* for ever"

And it might be, that when Scotland had gone to decay, as all other nations had in their progressive turn, and as she surely would, she would be remembered principally or wholly by the poetry of Burns. And it was not impossible too, that, in some future age, that poetry might do for Scotland the same good service which the poetry of Greece had done for it in its adversity and decay. For it will be remembered, that

> "The great Emathian conqueror bid spare
> The house of Pindarus, when temple and tower
> Went to the ground; and the repeated air
> Of sad Electra's poet had the power
> To save Athenian walls from ruin bare."

And the sympathies of the whole civilized world had ever clustered around Greece, even in her degredation, and prevented her from utter destruction.

Mr. TENNEY pursued the subject further, but we are obliged to cut short our report.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. TENNEY'S remarks, it was announced that it was near 12 o'clock, when the company arose and ushered in the 25th of January — the birth day of Burns — by joining hands around the table and singing "Auld Lang Syne." After this ceremony, the 6th regular toast was announced.

6. *The Sacred Flame of Poetry,* wherever lighted.

Mr. CALKINS was called upon, and responded in substance as follows:

I agree with a gentleman who has spoken, that we have a nice table before us, and with his *good* opinion of the *good* supper provided, and, as all at this end of the table will testify, I have endeavored to do my duty to it according to the dictates of an enlightened conscience, and the demands of an empty stomach. But, sir there is something about this feast higher and better than good victuals and a handsome set. There is the mirth and festivity of intellect—a feast of reason, as well as a reasonable feast. But there is something even besides this to excite feeling and interest on this occasion,—and it is expressed in the sentiment—"the sacred flame of Poetry—wherever lighted." No man, sir, but has a little of this divine light in him. It gives birth to the thousand joys and hopes of humanity—it sheds a golden halo all along life's pathway—it gilds and softens the stormiest scenes of existence—vivifies the affections—sanctifies the passions, and a beam of its divine radiance was lent to purify and strengthen the lamp of love.

I am not a Scotchman, sir, but as I hallow genius and revere misfortune, I am here to celebrate with you the birth day of BURNS—

> ——a name,
> That calls—when brimmed the festal cup—
> A nation's glory, and its shame,
> In silent sadness up

Her *glory*, that he was born on her soil; that his rich, glorious, immortal works were written in her language; that his canonized bones rest in her bosom;—her *shame*, that she allowed him to live in poverty and obloquy, that her highest reward for his merits was a petty office in the Excise, that she left him to die "unwept, unhonored and unsung."

I am not a Scotchman, sir, but I love the land of brave, gifted and noble sons, of beautiful, heroic and unfortunate daughters. I love Scotland, whose every broken glen, and sloping vale and heathery hill is renowned in story or in song, and hallowed by the genius or consecrated by the blood of their possessors

Sir, it has been a common custom to attack at once Burns' moral character and the tendency of his works; to damn him for his sins and to ostracise the fruits of his genius. With such criticisms I do not sympathise. True he could never have produced those works that have given him all his fame, if he had not already served an apprenticeship to experience, and "drunk oftener o' the tun than o' the well." What then shall we say? Even this,—We will not judge his faults too harshly; but we will read his productions, and joy and glory in them; and, till some great puritanical genius shall arise to depict the workings of hair-brained, uproarious mirth and convivial indulgence, we will pardon Burns the injury he done his health, his fortune, and his good name, for the pleasure we have received at his hands and the wealth of poetic beauty he has bequeathed to us.

If, it were necessary to frame excuses for his habits, we might do it by enlarging on the temptations to which he was subjected, from his struggles with misfortune, and the fluctuations and uncertainties of his fate. We might describe him as born to poverty and steeped in contempt—raised by his genius to the loftiest pinnacle, but, like the giddy sailor at mast head, ready to topple and fall with the first blast that assailed him We might, also, trace his deep and frequent potations of his favorite usquebagh, that long, last draught, when he bade farewell to his country and his kinsmen, as he supposed, forever. To none of this would he have been obnoxious, had he been born to a landed estate, or brought up behind a counter.

But sir, we do not need such excuses. We will vindicate the memory and character of Burns by showing that we too love a full feast and a flowing bowl, and—

> "Can like a sup of kindness yet,
> For the days of auld lang syne."

We will commemorate him as one whose virtues were greater than his vices—whose truth, warmth, and sincerity atoned for a multitude of sins, and whose genius has given him a name that will be cherished and perpetuated till the language he lisped in childhood is forgotten, or the human heart shall beat no more!

Death has cancelled everything of Burns but his genius and virtues. It has consigned the *Man* and his frailties to oblivion: it has installed the *Poet* in his immortality, and lifted him to the skies.

> And nothing shall cover his high fame but heaven,
> No pyramids set off his memory,
> But the eternal substance of his greatness.

7. *The Lassies.*

This was drank standing, and followed by a Song—"*Green grow the rushes O.*"

Volunteer toasts were now announced in order, and the President, Mr. McARTHUR, gave the following:

The Judiciary of Wisconsin, and its distinguished representative at our board—With the generous enthusiasm of his nature, he has come hither to pour the tribute of his admiration in the urn of our Poet.

This called up Judge HUBBELL, who added life and interest to the feast, by the following happy and well-timed remarks:

It was not *always* his lot to be in the way.

> "When drouthy neebors neebors meet;"

but he was happy to join, in a "feast of reason and a flow of soul," consecrated to the memory of Scotland's favorite bard. This had been spoken of, and very properly, as a National Festival. But he could tell them, Scotland had no *monopoly* of Burns. She had his birth-place and his grave: his kith and kin; his love and patriotism, and his glorious name. But, his works were the common property of Literature; his genius was the world's; and his sacred memory belonged to all mankind, through all future time. Scotland furnished the peculiar dialect in which he wrote, and which gave a rustic charm to his verse. But he, in turn, had made that rude dialect classic: he had set, in the rough frame-work, a jewel, which would preserve it, as long as the thoughts of Homer would preserve the polished Greek.

Burns had, indeed, thrown a classic tint over all the rugged features of his native land. Not a craggy cliff lifted its head, unsung. Not a river or a burn, but murmured to the melody of his songs. But, then, his melodies were as familiar, on the banks of the Ohio or Mississippi, as on those of the Tweed. The festive party, assembled on Lake Michigan, or on the far-sounding shores of Superior, make their mirth and their sentiment vocal, in the same strains, which first echoed on the quiet "banks of Ayr."

Hence sir, as an American, I come here with an honest claim—with a *legal* right—and with equal pride and pleasure, to join you in paying tribute to Scotland's great Poet.—When shall we see his like again? When did the world ever see it before? Not certainly in your country, rich and prolific as her annals have been, in the production of intellect. Her noble Schools have been fruitful in Scholars, Historian, Philosophers and Novelists.—But only once, has genius risen above the schools, and triumphed in despite of them.—Only once, have we seen the illiterate Peasant Boy, tooling at "the plough, the scythe or the reap-hook," yet, "pregnent with celestial fire,"—*instinct* with immortal thought, which, clothing itself in the humble language of the cottage, became, at once and forever, the chosen dialect of Love, of Sentiment, of Patriotism, and of Mirth. The triumph of Burns was the triumph of nature. It was the "divinity within him," that spoke.

He was the mirror, in which all scenes and all passions glassed themselves, with a perfect similitude. He was the "medium,"—(to speak in modern phrase), by which those "spiritual things," called thoughts and feelings,—which "knock" in the common breast of humanity, were made audible and intelligible to all men. He stood, like the favored Prophet of old, between man and his maker, and brought down from the smoke and darkness of the mystic mountain, the *true law* of the heart, and wrote it out on tablets more enduring than stone. His thoughts were living images; his sentiments fadeless pictures. Though he spoke of natural scenery, only as it was the companion of some thought or sentiment, yet the school-boy of America is familiar with Scotland's geography, through the poems of Burns. And what reader of his, has not learned to honor Scotland's Industry; to abhor her tyranny; and to admire her valor and patriotism? Who, like him, has ennobled honest, patient, toiling Poverty? Who, like him, has scathed the empty brow of gilded pride and titled Rank?

> "The King can make the belted *Knight*,
> The *Marquis*, *Duke*, an' a' that;
> But *an honest Man's aboon his might.*"

Who like him, has painted Love. Sir, when Love finds a better exponent than Burns, we must expect Providence to send us a new edition of the passion, and an angel for an interpreter. And who, more fervently than he, has poured forth the hallowed breathings of Patriotism? That gentleman spoke truly, who told us, that Scotland had not yet found a king or a people, that could enslave her.—May she never do so. But, if she is enslaved, it will be when Burns is forgotten.

But some moralists have complained that the poetry of Burns is the handmaid of Intemperance. This complaint may not be unfounded. But Burns has dignified and elevated even debauch. His virtuous muse never gilded vice; but she lent her charms to some of the weaknesses of our common nature. His "poet's eye" saw only,

> "Inspiring, bold John Barleycorn."

To him, the "bowl" was inspiration.

> "Kings may be blest, but *Tam* was glorious,
> O'er all the ills of life victorious."
> "Wha last beside his chair shall fall,
> He is the king among us three."

And again—

> "Bring a Scotchman from his hill,
> Clap in his cheek a Highland gill,
> Say, such is royal George's will,
> And point the foe;
> He has nae thought but how to kill
> Twa at a blow."

Mr. President, if these be faults in the works of Burns, they are past washing out. Like the specks and blemishes in the Parian marble, the genius of the artist has blended them with immortal beauty, and they must

live on together. "Tam O'Shanter," and "Sator Johnny," and even "Holie Willie," will be fresh in the memory of men, when the long line of Scotia's kings shall be lost in the dust of their palace. "Kirk Alloway" will have a local habitation and a name, after "Edina's [illegible]" is crumbled into ashes, and the home of the Doug[illegible] is turned up by the ploughshare. The [illegible] Bard, whom his [illegible] and proud country hardly dared to [illegible], will reflect honor upon [illegible] lustre from his [illegible], already quoted [illegible]

[illegible] *Tantallon*, [illegible]

But [illegible] Mr President, I am occu[illegible] better given to [illegible] around me. [illegible] sentiment. And since [illegible] to commemorate [illegible] birth-day of a Scotch[illegible] the home of one, [illegible] the heather," has [illegible] to this his adopted [illegible]

[illegible] -A gentleman, [illegible] man of business, a [illegible] citizen of the United [illegible] of Scotland

[illegible] *Flowers of the* [illegible]

[illegible] from wor[illegible] Scotland, who were unable to be [illegible]

[illegible] circum[illegible] to be present with [illegible] to cel[illegible] the great Poet, with [illegible] and the mem[illegible] the happy days [illegible] a sentiment, [illegible] Burns will doubtless be [illegible]

[illegible] christian in[illegible] the unsurpassed [illegible] of the Scottish peo[illegible]

JOHN McEWEN

[illegible]

[illegible] *and Hy*[illegible]

[illegible] that unavoidable [illegible] from joining [illegible] birth-day of our [illegible] any, are more [illegible] to us, I [illegible] The effusions of [illegible] the Ganges in the [illegible] the west [illegible] establishing [illegible] of alleviating the [illegible] who may be [illegible] successful be[illegible] measures you [illegible] heartily co-ope[illegible]

[illegible] the following

[illegible] *who have brought* [illegible] May it be [illegible] the ground, that [illegible] may feel its sun[illegible]

[illegible] your obed't serv't,

A. H. JOHNSTON

[illegible]

[illegible] Esq

[illegible] *Poet of Ireland.*

[illegible] Mr WRIGHT, who, declin[illegible] a speech, would give [illegible] *you of dream,"* [illegible]

[illegible] by the President

[illegible] *of Burns in America*— [illegible] their attachment to [illegible] their intelligence and [illegible] bulwark of which our [illegible] proud

Mr [illegible] WILSON, the son of a genu[illegible] Scotch [illegible] original Song, by [illegible] Wm Wilson, written for [illegible]

SONG

[illegible] *Johnny*

[illegible] together
[illegible] kilts an heather
[illegible] Scotia's heart a throb[illegible]
[illegible] one Robin

[illegible] proudly,
[illegible] her bagpipes lift[illegible]
[illegible] cairn,
[illegible] to the barn

[illegible] wild harp ringing,
[illegible] singing,
[illegible] shining
[illegible] sting

[illegible] throbbin',
[illegible] darlin' Robin
[illegible] hills sae hoary,
[illegible] Scotia's [illegible]

Kindly [illegible] to forgather,
[illegible] heather,
[illegible] rowin',
[illegible] her bonny [illegible]

[illegible] in the land that [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] starry banner

While we [illegible] faith an' honor,
[illegible]
[illegible] cairns
[illegible] Scotia's [illegible]

[illegible] bonnet,
[illegible] upon it

By Mr MENZIES
The health of [illegible] *father.*

By THOS HYSLOP
May the time soon come when that noble aspiration of our poet shall be realized—

"Man to man the world o'er
Shall brithers be an' a' that."

Mr BRAND, a second cousin of the great Poet, was present, and being called upon, gave some most interesting reminiscences of Burns, and related a laughable incident of the poet's ready wit and profound observation. We have not been able to preserve it.

Mr. Cameron called for The President announced that "the Camerons were coming," and *they came*. Mr. CAMERON spoke as follows:

I am happy in being present on this Scottish festive occasion. While I claim *this* "my own, my native land," I am proud of being descended from Caledonian ancestry. And although one of the last links in the lengthened line, and greatly removed by distance and condition, from *their* native land of the "mountain and the flood," my lineal attachments are not weakened but rather strengthened by the association—as we must all trace our pedigree through the "ancient records" of the old world. I rejoice in turning to Scotland's hills and glens as the heroic home of my fathers. For no old country can boast of greater bravery, learning, and wit; and as for the generosity, kindness and hospitality of her sons, they are best expressed in the words of the bard we here commemorate:

"I would no more at Heaven's gate
Than a Highland welcome."

Sir, the "wee sma' hours" admonish me to observe the rule for "the soul of wit," especially when others are waiting for utterance. But before closing, I must add, that in the genial presence of McArthur, McKenzie, the Menzies, McGregor, Ferguson, and other "worthy sons of noble sires" assembled together in honor of poetry and worth,

"My best foot foremost I'll lift up my brow,
To hae the honor to belong to you."

Closed with the sentiment—

Our Scottish ancestors—May we cherish their memory, to inspire us with an emulation of their gallantry, courage and hospitality.

Mr. TENNEY up and gave the last words of Burns—at least they were composed on his death-bed, for his epitaph—and they are not unworthy to be the very last that he ever uttered:

"He who of Rankin sung, lies stiff and dead,
A low green grassy hillock hides his head—
Alas! Alas! a devilish change indeed."

Mr. MENZIES, would give the name of one half a Scotchman—a descendant of the royal line that sat on Scotland's throne—who in his genius, in the strange uncertainties of his life—in his misfortunes, habits and early death, bore a strange resemblance to Burns. His memory often reverted to Scotland—he loved to linger on her name, and recall the noble deeds of her sons, and she was the inspiration of some of his most glorious lines. Mr. M. then recited with energy and grace, "Lochnagar," portions of Childe Harold, and gave—

Lord Byron—half a Scot by birth, but a whole one bred.

Drank standing, and in silence.

[Mr. McGREGOR didn't like this standing up so much; thought the President was not aware of the immense *load* we had to lift with us.]

By Mr. McARTHUR:
Alexander Mitchell—"Bank or no Bank," we go for Mitchell.

Mr FERGUSON, "on demand," returned thanks in the name of Mr Mitchell.

Mr. ILSLEY called up. Is one of the *Yankees*—a rale live Yankee—from way down east, where they grow lean and tall, though he is a little fat. Told a story that called out roars of laughter.

Stories being in order, Mr. McGREGOR had one to tell about a Dutchman, of which, however. we the other side of the table could hear little, from the demonstrations of amusement by those immediately around.

Then MENZIES had a story to tell. A Scotch divine took his text from the Psalms: "And I said in my haste, all men are liars." "Said it *in yer haste*, did ye, David? Gin' ye had been here, ye might have said it *at yer leisure*, mon, and made ne apology for it!"

By McGREGOR:
William Motherwell and Jeannie Morrison.

E. A. CALKINS. Speaking of Poets, reminded him of the supper, which, to his mind, was the very poetry of good eating. Gave, therefore—

Our Host.—In the words of some great bard,

"I never heard a *Bell-dia*,
With such melodious sound."

Mr. DUNLAP called up—said he was not a speech maker, but a gardener, and was excused accordingly.

It was mentioned, that next to a gardener might be a *Green-leaf*, that flourishes in a *Bank*. So Mr. GREENLEAF gave—

The Emerald Isle.—May the bright sun of prosperity soon arrive to dispel the dark clouds that now hover o'er her; and under a more enlightened rule may she one day stand erect among the nations of the earth, fearless and unfettered, "her brow blooming with the wreath of Science, her fields waving with the fruits of Agriculture, her ports alive with the contributions of Commerce, and her temples vocal with unrestricted praise."

Song by WRIGHT—"*Take hence the bowl.*"

By H. P. HUBBELL:
"*The Banks of Tweed,*" *and* "*The Banks of Ayr.*"—Unlike Mitchell's Bank, they flourish only in poetry.

Mr. McKENZIE called up—had little to say, but what he had, would be like a bee's sting, "short and full of feeling." He gave—

Scotland—her sons and daughters—Literally speaking, they are "some pumpkins."

Mr. HARPER was called upon by the President, but the string, or something being out of order, he refused to *harp* to the call.

By Mr. FOSTER:
The Lady that made the Haggis.

It was thought, however, that, as the sex of the cook was a matter of doubt, we'd better leave out "the lady," and charge the toast to Belden himself.

Song by Mr. MENZIES—"*Tak' yer auld cloak about ye.*"

By A. McARTHUR:
The Great Unknown—the Wizard of the North—Sir Walter Scott.—The truest Scotchman that ever breathed.

By Mr. DREW:
The surviving Members of the Burns' family.—May they long live to illustrate the ennobling sentiments inculcated in the poetry of their Great Founder.

By Mr. GREENLEAF:
James Hogg, the Ettrick Shepherd.

By Mr. McARTHUR:
Thomas Campbell.—To be remembered while Wyoming blooms in beauty, and his fame to be like Hope, "Eternal in the human breast."

E. A. CALKINS up again. Would give a toast, which he wished drank in enthusiastic and uproarious silence, and with the company joining hands. Was going to offer, as the sentiment, a name of modern celebrity, originated by a gifted Scotchman, the Rev. Sidney Smith—no less celebrated for his wit than his learning, and whose broad, coarse humor was equal to his sound sense and glorious eloquence. But would first relate the history. In 1831, certain measures of reform were agitated in the British Parliament, favored by the Commons, but opposed by the Lords. Sidney Smith, advocating the measures, made a speech, in which was this passage: "The conduct of the Lords upon this occasion reminds me of the great storm at Sidmouth, and the conduct of the excellent Mrs. Partington upon that occasion. [President: Mrs. Partington, gentlemen, which was repeated by several with enthusiasm.] The storm rose high, the waves rolled in upon the town. In the emergency Dame Partington was seen with her mop and trundles, vigorously pushing back the Atlantic Ocean. The Atlantic was roused, Mrs. Partington's spirit was up. But I need not tell you that the contest was unequal. Good Dame Partington was excellent at a slop or a puddle, but she never should have meddled with a tempest." I give you the memory of—*Mrs. Partington.*

Recitative by Mr. JOHNSTON—*Simon and Jenny.*

A toast: *James Thompson, the Poet of the Seasons.*—The laziest of men and one of the best of poets, to be remembered while Summer and Winter, seed time and harvest, shall go their circling round.

Anecdote related of his once being caught standing on a fence, with both hands in his pockets, and *eating* peaches off the tree.

Song by HYSLOP—*Mary of Castle Cary.*

By Mr. MURISON:
William Tong, the weaver poet of Inverury.

By Mr. MORRISON, a Scotchman a "twal'-month" from Edinburgh:
The Mothers and Daughters of Scotland.

By the other Mr. MORRISON:
Ossian, and the Highlands of Scotland.

Mr. M. said he had prepared a speech, but it had all evaporated. So he would e'en let them go with his toast.

Mr. McEWEN, called out as the representative of McEWEN senior, gave a Song—*The garb of old Gaul.*

By Mr. MENZIES, introduced with some *striking* reminiscences of school-boy days, and a description of the instrument:

The "taws"—The schoolmaster's assistant in the formation of Scottish character.

The enthusiasm with which this toast was received, gave evidence that they *felt* the force of the sentiment, as they might aforetime have *felt* the article itself.

By Mr. E. A. TAPPAN:
The Spirit of Liberty, wherever it exists.—Whether with the countrymen of a Burns, an Emmet, a Kossuth, or a Washington, may it be cherished and nourished until the name of *tyrant* shall be forgotten, and the oppressed of every clime shall rejoice in the days beautifully portrayed in the language of him whose birth we have this night met to celebrate.

"Then let us pray, that come it may,
As come it will, an' a' that,
That sense and worth, o'er a' the Earth,
Shall bear the gree an' a' that,
For a' that, an' a' that
It's comin' yet for a' that,
That man to man, the warld o'er,
Shall brithers be, an' a' that."

By JUDGE HUBBELL:
Thom, the Scottish Sculptor.

By Mr. MENZIES:
Scotch Artists in Milwaukee—Marquis and Darwood.

By this time it had got to be among the "wee sma' hours ayant the twal," but

"The mirth and fun grew fast an' furious"—

the toast, and song, and speech and jest went round—merrily fled "the golden time," but no one of the company evinced a disposition to leave. Broad, shrewd Scotch humor, and 'cute Yankeeisms, called up again and again the loud laugh, and brought glee to "the sparkling e'en." Fun, merriment and sociality ruled around the board. It is needless for us to say, that, to transfer the thousand witticisms, repartees, pat sayings, and the little "by talk," that charmed them all, to paper, would be impossible. We can only say, that we have followed up, with some perseverance, the entertainments of the season, but we have seen nothing that so fully came up to our idea of a "feast of reason and a flow of soul," as the supper in honor of the BIRTH-DAY OF BURNS. If there is ever another, "may we be there."

At three o'clock, the company again joined hands, and again lifted their hearts and voices with the noble strains of "Auld Lang Syne." The following additional verse was sung, and the ceremonies closed, with an agreement to meet "twelve months from date," for a repetition of the scenes:

"An' what though we be far awa'
An' in a foreign clime,
We'll ne'er forget auld Scotia's shores,
And the days o' auld lang syne."

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MILWAUKEE:

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JAN. 29.

☞The proceedings of *The Burns Supper* occupy most of our reading columns, to-day. The West is a great place.

INTEREST LAW.

Legislators can commit no graver error than to suppose they can *make* law—originate principles of right. Their chief business should be to ascertain what is right—what is in accordance with the fitness of things, and conform their legislation to its precepts. The laws of trade are governed by as fixed principles as the laws of gravitation, and the one can no more be violated with impunity than the other. Legislators have taken infinite pains, at various times and places, to counteract and overrule the law of supply and demand, by establishing legal rates of interest for money, or its equivalent, and by prohibiting the taking of higher than the legal rates. All such laws, we regard as injurious, because they fail to prevent greedy capitalists from exacting higher rates, and compel them to demand higher rates to cover the increased risk. The tendency of such a law, in this State, we think, would be to throw the business of loaning money into the hands of unscrupulous Shylocks, and to make the necessitous borrowers their helpless victims.

The present law has worked well. Notwithstanding a million of dollars has been withdrawn from the State by the emigration to California, and the partial failure of the wheat and potatoe crops for three successive years, the rates of interest now average less than they did two years ago. The evils of which so many complain are not owing to the absence of a usury law, but are attributable to other causes which a usury law could not affect. It would increase instead of mitigaing these evils.

The Jewish law against usury was founded in a wise philosophy. Imperishable property, like money, should not draw interest, and would not in a proper state of society. At twelve per cent. interest, Five Thousand Dollars will produce Six Hundred Dollars annually. This exceeds the wages of intelligent mechanics, and is double the amount paid to the day laborer. Five Thousand Dollars pitted against the bones and sinews, the flesh and blood of a living man, and coming off conquerer, and making the man a prey at the end of a life struggle! There is something terribly ajar in the constitution of society, when the Almighty Dollar triumphs in the halls of legislation, on the Judge's bench, and even at the Ballot Box, over toiling Humanity. And not until the people come to understand the true relative value of labor and capital, and demand, with the sternness of insulted justice, legislation for the rights of Man, instead of legislation, chiefly, for the interests of Capital, will the evils of partial and class legislation be abated.

But it is useless to hope, at present, for such a great step in the path of human progress, as the abolition of all interest for money. The next best thing is to leave it entirely open to the free competition. If that will not reduce the rates of interest, no legal enactments can do it. We trust the Legislature will not alter the law till it has had a fair trial. Fickleness in legislation will tend to drive out the capital already loaned in this State, and prevent more from coming in.

Congress, Jan. 17.

HOUSE.—The Appropriation Bill made the special order for the next day, and until disposed of. Refused to suspend the rules to make the River and Harbor Bill the order of the day for next Thursday. The House refused leave for a Bill to extend Bounty Land Claims to those not engaged in actual hostilities.

The Senate, on motion of Mr. Walker, instructed the Secretary of the Treasury to give the quality and value of imports from Canada in 1849-50. Petitions for a line of Steamers to Africa and also to Brazil, and for the modification of the present tariff.

SENATE, January 28. Bill to Define the Boundary of the Military Reserve on St. Peter's River, and securing Rights of Actual Settlers—referred. Bill of Johnson of Tennessee, to give every head of a family 160 acres of land discussed. A substitute for *done* Brown proposed perpetual pre-emption, but to be paid for at $1 25 an acre.

☞ Last evening, the petition to have the powder house removed, to a less dangerous locality, was handed into the Common Council. We would suggest that a nuisance near it share in the removal.

☞ MR. SCHIRMACHER'S CONCERT comes off this evening, at Dickerman's block. The high reputation of Mr. S. as a musician and a gentleman, and the merits of the other talented performers, will no doubt call out a large audience. Miss Mathews, Ilsley, Hemstead, the Messrs. Papendick, will give some of the best efforts.

FIRE.—A fire broke out about 10 o'clock last evening, in the grocery owned by Mr. Smaelling, on Water Street, above Biddle St. It consumed the building and the most of the stock. Loss, house and goods from $800 to $1000—mostly insured.

From this it communicated to the "First Ward Saloon," owned and kept by G. Broseus. This was partly burned down and partly torn down. Loss not far from $800.—Insured.

The houses adjoining each side were saved by great skill and exertions. Their insides were mostly riddled out, and their contents thrown into the street.

Great praise is due our noble firemen for their promptitude in being on the spot, and their generous efforts to prevent the spread of the conflagration. They are the true guardians of the City, who keep "watch and ward" over the property and lives of our citizens. What thanks and what encouragement should they not receive at our hands?

☞A movement is on foot to build a Plank Road from Chestnut street to Wauwatosa, by the Cold Spring House. This is a good move, and will no doubt be carried into effect.

☞A free bridge across the Fox River, at Berlin, is to be completed by the opening of navigation.

Seven feet fall of water at that place can be obtained by a race two miles long.

☞Wetherhead, whig, formerly of Baltimore, is likely to be chosen Senator of California, in place of Freemont.

☞The Virginia Convention talk of giving the people the right of electing their State Officers—Remarkable!

Wisconsin Legislature.

Madison, Jan. 28.

Assembly.—A petition was presented this morning for the location of the State Prison, at Iron Ridge, Dodge county; also several petitions for Usury Law, and several petitions for submission of the Bank Question.

Bills introduced.—By Mr Chase, of Milwaukee, a bill relative to the release of one or more joint debtors—referred to the Judiciary Committee. By Mr. Lessey, a bill to amend an act incorporating Lake Winnebago and Fox River Road Company—referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.—By Mr. Hale, a bill relative to the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace in civil cases—referred to the Judiciary Committee. By Mr. Bird, a bill extending the time for the Collection of Taxes, in the town of Pleasant Spring, Dane Co—referred to the Judiciary Committee. By Mr. Ladue, a bill to amend an act authorizing a Stage Road from Sheboygan to Madison—referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges. By Mr. Moorman, a memorial to the President, in relation to Settlers on Pinery lands. By Mr. Rodolph, a bill providing for the sale of lands for taxes under a decree of court—referred to the Judiciary Committee. By Mr. Moorman, a bill to prevent the killing of deer in certain seasons of the year. By Mr. Lowth, two bills, legalizing School Districts and their actions, in towns in Rock County. By Mr. Snover, a bill appropriating money to A. F. Pratt.

The following bills were read a third time *and passed*:—A bill providing for the election of a *Chief justice of the Supreme Court.* A bill to amend Sec. IX. of Chap. CXXXI. of Statutes. [This bill allows fees to witnesses on behalf of the State.] A bill to pay the Lieut. Governor for services during the absence of the Governor from the State. [This was a Senate bill, and was amended in the Assembly so as to appropriate $133 56, in place of $300.]

The Bank submission bill is postponed till *Monday* next, to await the printing of the Report on the subject. Among bills considered in Committee of the Whole, was a bill refusing a license to pedlers, which elicited a debate, Mr. Barnett. of Fond du Lac, being utterly opposed to direct taxation of every nature; other gentlemen holding that pedlers should be taxed as well as resident merchants. No final action was had on the bill. The Calumet Co, contested seat case is made the special order for this afternoon. Assembly adjourned.

Senate.—Mr. Conkey presented the credentials of Hon. O. S. Head, Senator elect from Kenosha, who was duly sworn by the President and took his seat. Mr. Giddings presented the petition of H. Sawyer. and sundry other citizens of Dodge Co., asking for the repeal of the present interest law.

Bills introduced.—By Mr. Rittenhouse, a bill to change the present system of town and county government. By Mr. Reed, of Milwaukee, a bill in relation to insurance on property. By Mr. Huebschmann, a bill to amend the Mississippi R. R. Charter. By Mr. Reed, a bill to appropriate to R. L. Ream, for making maps for the State. Mr. Reed also reported back Territorial scrip to the account of James Morrison and S. Chapman, recommending that they be disallowed.

Mr. Reed also reported a bill to pay G. W. Gillett; also for W. Lansing.

Mr. Hyer, of the Committee on Printing, made a lengthy report, which was laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Giddings, the vote was reconsidered by which the bill to limit the rates of interest was postponed for *one week from Tuesday* next, and the bill was taken up and considered, and discussed at some length by Messrs. Gale and Palmer in favor, and Rountree and Eastman opposed. No final action. Again postponed, and made the special order for *Thursday week.*

The Senate adjourned.

DEATHS.

WILLIAMS—In this city, at 3 o'clock this morning Benj. Thomas Williams, son of Chas. H. and Sarah C. Williams, aged 2 years, 1 month, and 18 days

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Milwaukee, Nov. 7, 1850. d&c

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OTTO LAYNHEENZ, would inform the public that he has purchased the Book-Bindery heretofore belonging to E A Calkins, and has made arrangements to carry forward the business in the various departments. Terms, cheap for Cash, and all work warranted. oct9 d3m21

WAKAGA, or Charms of the Nile, by Furness. People I have met, by K P Willis; Headley's Miscellanies, authorized edition. Headley's Sacred Mountains, Headley's Works complete—for sale by
sept7 S CHAPMAN

HYACINTHS—Hyacinth Glasses and Bulbs, for sale by
dec10 CHAS H HURD,
144 East Water st

A NEW BROOM sweeps CLEAN, at
nov30 LANGE & REED'S

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.

COMPLETE SETS of this magazine are for sale at BIRD'S, 183 East Water street. Also London Art Journal nov28

BIBLES, TESTAMENTS, Hymn Books, Prayer Books, &c &c Churches supplied on the most favorable terms. S CHAPMAN

THE MELODIST—A collection of popular and social Songs, original and selected, harmonized and arranged for different voices; by George James Webb and William Mason, just published and for sale by
nov14 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

GREAT ARRIVAL OF

WINTER GOODS!

191 East Water st., Martin's New Block.

EXTRAORDINARY AND DAILY INCREASING ATTRACTIONS AT

CAMERON'S
NEW-YORK STORE.

Established in Milwaukee in May, 1849,

IN connection with one of the most extensive Importing Houses in New York city, for the purpose of establishing a large and permanent business, on the Cash system.

The proprietors of this already well known and popular establishment take this way of informing numerous patrons, in town and country, that they have made such arrangements to meet the exigencies of their rapidly increasing business, as will enable them to offer still greater inducements to purchasers. Their Fall and Winter stock is beyond comparison the most extensive and varied

In the Western Country,

embracing every article usually found in first class houses in the Atlantic cities

To those who have already dealt with them, they deem it unnecessary to allude to their ability and determination to undersell any other House west of New York city. To those who have not yet examined

THEIR STOCK OR PRICES,

they would say, through their connection in New-York, and an almost unlimited business, they are enabled to keep a resident buyer of great experience in New York and Boston markets, and many other goods are imported direct for their own trade in the original packages, thus securing many

New and Choice Styles of Goods,

that cannot be found at any other establishment here.

Their arrangements are so complete that they can, and pledge themselves that they will sell every piece and style of goods as low as they can be bought in the most celebrated cheap stores in New York or Boston. Every piece and style of goods in this establishment, being bought of first hands or at auction, or imported direct, and consequently from

25 to 30 PER CENT. LESS

than Western Merchants pay for them—in fact we sell many styles of goods for less than western merchants pay for them in New York or Boston. Every article will be marked at the very lowest price, and will be guaranteed less in every instance than a similar article can be bought elsewhere

We annex the following list of prices—which we think can hardly fail to convince the public—that this is not one of the humbug pretensions of the day

Bleached shirtings for	6d, usual price		10 to 12
Unbleached do	do	"	6 to 8
Yard wide sheeting, good, for	4	"	8 to 10
Yard wide bleached, "	9	"	12 to 16
Stout Cabcoes,	4,	"	8 to 10
Good fast color Cabcoes,	8,	"	12 to 14
Best English do	12,	"	18 to 25
Heavy Ticking,	10,	"	12 to 15
Striped twilled Shirting	9,	"	12 to 16
Heavy Sattinets for	25,	"	37 to 50
Good Flannels	20,	"	30 to 40
All wool twilled flannel	25,	"	40 to 50
Handsome ginghams	12,	"	18 to 25
Good muslin de laines	12,	"	20 to 25
Heavy Alpaccas	12,	"	25 to 30
High lustre Alpaccas	18,	"	37 to 50
Fine French Merinoes	75,	"	1,25 to 1.50
Good Broadcloth	1 50,	"	2,50 to 4,00
Heavy Blankets	1,50,	"	2,50 to 4,00
Linen Table Covers	37,	"	62 to 75
Colored Table Covers	65,	"	1,00 to 1,25
Good heavy Shawls	1,00,	"	2,00 to 3,00
Plaid Long Shawls	2.00,	"	5,00 to 8,00
Brocha Shawls	3,00,	"	6,00 to 9,00

Our Stock of Shawls

is so large and well assorted, that ours might well be called the

SHAWL STORE.

We have every style, from the common De Laine at 50 cents, to the elegant Cashmere or Crape, at $50.

We shall receive weekly from our house in N. York,

All the New and Elegant Styles of Goods

as they may arrive from Europe. We have also an immense assortment of

Ribbons, Kid Gloves, Laces, Cambric Hdkfs, add Lace Caps and Collars,

which will be sold at an immense sacrifice.

A. CAMERON & CO.
dec13 1m 191 East Water street, Milwaukee

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295 *Whitnall's Block, Third st., Second Ward,*

Dealers in all kinds of

Paints, Oils, Glass, Putty, Sash, Brushes, &c.

Farmers and others desirous of doing their own Painting, can be supplied with Paint mixed ready for use

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PAPER-HANGING, WHITENING and COLORING ROOMS, done promptly, and in a very superior manner.

WINDOWS READY GLAZED, constantly on hand or can be furnished to order on the shortest notice.

SIGN PAINTING done to order.

Milwaukee, June 11, 1850. 27

BOOKS! BOOKS!!

JUST RECEIVED, AT

THE NEW BOOKSTORE,

37 *Spring street,*

Per steamer Louisiana, a choice assortment of

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES,

cheap for cash. Call and examine oct25

Flour! Flour!

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, for sale at No 39 Spring street, a few doors west of the American

BUTTER, a good article, can be had at No. 39.

SOAP and CANDLES, in any quantity

A few KEGS NAILS, various sizes,

DRIED FRUIT, such as Apples, Peaches, Plums, Currants, Raisins, Raspberries, &c. &c.

Also, a few barrels of SUGAR, all of which be sold cheap for cash, at 39 Spring street.

Jan1 STORRS & CLARK.

APPLE BUTTER.

ANY ONE who likes Apple Butter, can make the same by calling at LANGE & REED'S and getting some Apples, and first rate boiled cider nov26

ENGRAVING, AND COPPERPLATE PRINTING.

P. L. MOSSIN & CO.

Number 8 Wisconsin street, Milwaukee,

Executes Official Seals for Courts, Towns, Notaries Public, Societies, &c. Stensils, Steel Stamps, Wood Cuts, and all work in their line.

sept16 d1

PAPER-HANGINGS

AT EIGHT CENTS A ROLL!!

S. CHAPMAN, [agent for the Manufacturer.] No 7 Michigan street, has just received a new supply of Paper Hangings, all new and rich patterns, varying in price from 8 to 83 cents per roll.

Also, a new assortment of CURTAIN PAPERS and FIRE BOARD PRINTS. June8

NEW LAW BOOKS—Just receiver a large stock of the most valuable Law Books, which we offer at eastern prices. ROOD & WHITTEMORE

GENERAL DEPOT FOR ALL OF

FOWLER'S PHRENOLOGICAL WORKS,

WATER CURE LIBRARY, &c.

Agents and the Trade furnished at a liberal discount, at BIRD'S Cheap Bookstore, 185 East Water st

☞ Phrenological Busts, price 6 and 8 shillings and *whole ones.* dec10 d

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New Law Books.

CHANDLER'S REPORTS in the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, just received and for sale by
Jan7 ROOD & WHITTEMORE.

A Great Bargain,

To any person desirous of purchasing some valuable property in a flourishing village in a neighboring county. 6 quarter lots, good buildings on all of them, consisting of dwelling houses and workshops; also some machinery for manufacturing waggons. Goods would be taken in payment
jan7 GEO. E H DAY.

SOAP AND CANDLES—for sale by
E D HOLTON, 16 and 18 Spring street

WISCONSIN FORM BOOK—New Edition just received and for sale by
dec2 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

LIFE ASSURANCE.

☞ **Ætna Insurance Company,** HARTFORD, Conn.—ANNUITY FUND, $150,000.—This well known and long established Company, having organized a new department for LIFE INSURANCE, with an entirely distinct capital, exclusively pledged with its reserved accumulations, for the payment of losses upon Life Insurance only, and in no event liable for the other debts, contracts, or engagements of the Company, is now prepared to issue Policies on Lives, at rates materially reduced from those charged by the Mutual Companies. The leading idea of the system adopted by this Company, is, to ascertain precisely what it is worth to insure a given amount upon a life for a certain time, and to charge precisely that sum, and no more: it is attended with none of those vexatious contingencies which are inseparable from the mutual system—it has nothing to do with scrip dividends or bonuses, the declaration of which upon true and equitable principles, is attended with so much difficulty and perplexity—it is perfectly simple, as well as uniform and equal in all its operations.

The promptness, fairness and liberality which have marked all the dealings of this Company, for a period of thirty years and the well known character of its officers and directors, afford the surest guaranty that its affairs will be so managed as to afford to the assured that ultimate safety and security which is of first importance in Life Assurance.

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Milwaukee, September 30, 1850. d6m13

Blank Deeds and Mortgages,

ACCORDING to the Revised Statutes, at
jan15 S. CHAPMAN'S.

50,000 BUFF LETTER ENVELOPES, just received and for sale cheap, by
oct12 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

New and Valuable Schools Books.

JUST received, McClintock and Crooks' first book in Latin; do in Greek; McClintock's 2d book in Greek; Newman's Rhetoric;
Gray's Elements of Chemistry, newly revised and and greatly enlarged; Wayland's Moral Science;
Newman's Rhetoric; Paley's Evidences;
Parker's Aids to English Composition;
Andrews' and Stoddard's Latin Grammar;
do do first lessons in Latin;
Greek Testament and Lexicon;
Cutter's first Lessons in Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene; Bayard on Constitution;
Hart's Constitution U S, etc, etc. for sale wholesale and retail by ROOD & WHITTEMORE,
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NOW COMPLETE,

The Bronze Statue, or the Virgin's Kiss.

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Complete in two large handsome volumes. Price $1.

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This work is unlike any of the author's previous works, being entirely free from any thing that would offend the most fastidious, but abounding in scenes and descriptions of the most thrilling chararacter—We defy any one to read twenty pages of the Bronze Statue and lay the book aside.

The Queen's Necklace, or the History of the Court of Louis the 16th.

By Alexander Dumas, Esq. Price $1,00.
july16 For sale by B. B BIRD.

GLASS.—575 boxes of Window Glass, McCully's X brand, received this day, which renders my assortment perfect, of all sizes, from 6 by 8 to 30 by 40. Dealers supplied at a small advance from manufactory prices. For sale by S. JOHNSON, Jr.
may1 151 East Water st.

LEATHER WORKERS POWDER, invented expressly to supply the wants of shoemakers, harness makers, trunk makers, and all who have occasion to black the russet, surface or edge of leather. Those who have used it, say it is just *the* thing—for sale by
oct21 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

CALL AT No. 189 EAST WATER ST.

IF you want a barrel of GOOD FLOUR; also various kinds of GROCERIES, at low prices.
sept18 d3 J K SPRAGUE.

NEW BOOKS.

GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE for October;
Vol 3 Rose Foster; Newgate Calendar,
No 24 Shakspeare's Dramatic Works;
The Seamstress, by Reynolds;
Ellen Parry, or the trials of the heart;
Louise De Vilas, by Sue; London Art Journal;
Blackwood's Magazine, &c &c

Friends please call and see the new books, at
sept28 BIRD'S.

ENGLISH LAID LETTER PAPER,

A VERY NICE article: also small Bath Post, ruled or plain, gilt edge and plain edge; Note Paper, Envelopes, &c, for sale by
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S. JOHNSON, Jr.,
Nov. 6. 151 East Water Street

HOUSES! HOUSES!!

8 or 10 Houses for Rent, at from $4 to $15 per month, for any length of time
oct22 GEORGE E. H. DAY

REVISED STATUTES OF WISCONSIN—This day received and for sale by
nov20 ROOD & WHITTEMORE.

MONOCHROMATIC BOARD, for Painting; the American Almanac for 1851, for sale by
dec19 ROOD & WHITTEMORE, 197 East Water st

FREE OF EXPENSE.

PRINTED RECEIPTS may be obtained at the counter of the subscriber for a complete system of Dyeing in all its various branches. Receipts for preparing food for Invalids, recommended by the Medical Faculty. Receipts for preparing Jellies, Custards, Puddings, Loaf Bread, Hot Breakfast Cakes, &c., superior to any thing of the kind before known. Also, Almanacs for 1849 and 1850
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I WISH TO LOAN, for different parties, the following sums: $50, $100, $200, $500, $800, $1000. I have also at my command sums from $25 to $3000, for 10, 30, 60 or 90 days.
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CONGRESS.

LADIES' AND GENTS. Congress Gaiters and half Gaiters, manufactured to order at short notice.—Also just received a choice lot of Children's Shoes of all kinds, at the sign of the big Red Boot, No 4 Spring street, Milwaukee. A. ELY
aug10 35

SARDINES—Fresh Rochelle Sardines, warranted first rate, just received at
oct9 LANGE & REED'S

THE LIFE AND WORKS of JNO. ADAMS, 1 second President of the United States, containing 1st, Works on Government; 2d, Political Papers; 3d, Messages and Public Papers; 4th, Diary; 5th, Private Letters on public subjects; 6th, Private letters from 1756 to 1826; 6th, 7th, Life, by J D Adams; 8th, Original unpublished letters of Franklin, Jefferson, Jay, Laurens, Gerry, Dann, and other eminent patriots of the Revolution. The work will be beautifully printed, in ten volumes, 8 vo, from 500 to 600 pages in each volume; price $2 50 per volume. Specimen volume may be seen and subscriptions received at the Bookstore. S CHAPMAN,
dec9 No 7 Michigan street

CASTILE SOAP.—40 boxes Red Mottled Castile Soap, for sale by S. JOHNSON, Jr.
may1 151 East Water street.

HUNTER & BERTINI'S Piano Forte Instruction Books, for sale by
oct21 ROOD & WHITTEMORE

DEMOCRATIC AND WHIG REVIEWS, for July, just received at TANNERS',
aly22 No. 7 Michigan st.

Gold! Gold! Gold!

WANTED—Five Thousand Dollars, for which I will give the highest price in SOAP, CANDLES and SALERATUS, at manufacturers' prices. Also—Sugar, Brown, Clarified, Crushed and Loaf. Coffee & Rice. Also—half ton good Butter, and 50 dozen first quality Brooms to sell cheap for cash, at 39 Spring street
oct 31 H CLARK

NEW BOOKS!

DAVID COPPERFIELD, complete;
Reynolds' best work, Queen Joanna, or the mysteries of the Court of Naples;
Celio, or New York above ground and underground;
The Green Hand; Cruisings in the last war, vol 2 and completion; also a great variety of

CHOICE LITERATURE,

just received at **BIRD'S Bookstore,**
and Periodical Depot, 183 East Water
nov28 street, *by last Express.*

BLACK SALTS WANTED—And the highest price paid by E. D HOLTON,
may1 16 and 18 Spring street.

PICKLED SALMON,

MACKEREL, Codfish, Trout, Haddock, &c. at
oct2 LANGE & REED'S.

CANTICA LAUDIS, or the American Book of Church Music, by Lowell Mason & George James Webb. It needs no comments, but will convince all who may use it of its own superiority. Just published, and for sale, wholesale and retail, by
Nov. 12 ROOD & WHITTEMORE.

MONEY!

MONEY TO LOAN!

To suit customers—from one month to two years.
☞ Office 185 East Water street, city of Milwaukee.
sept18-d3 G J FOWLER.

STILL THEY COME—Just received by this morning's Express—
60 Harper's new Monthly for October; also
The Monk Knight of St John, by Maj Richardson;
Salvador, or the Adventures of a Marquis, by Alexander Dumas;
The Orphan Children, by T S Arthur;
Genevieve, or Pleasant Love and Sorrow, by Alphonso de Lamartine;
The Iron Hand, or the Knight of Mauleon, by Dumas; and a host of other new works, at
oct10 BIRD'S News Depot

SHEFFIELD CUTLERY.

JUST imported, some of the best quality of Table and Pocket Cutlery, which will be sold cheap for ash. oct2 LANGE & REED.

JENNY LIND CAPS.

New Style of Caps—the genuine JENNY LIND article—just received from New-York, and for sale by J H SILKMAN,
oct3 152 East Water st

LOTS AND HOUSES.—Some of the best Lots, (for residences,) in the 1st and 4th Wards. Also, a few Houses and Lots, pleasantly situated—at great bargains oct15 GEORGE E. H. DAY.

The Book for Every Body.

ERVINE'S CYCLOPEDIA of Moral and Religious Anecdotes, containing nearly three thousand facts, incidents, narratives, examples and testimonies. No clergyman or Sabbath school teacher should be without it. Just received and for sale by
oct25 A LOGAN, 37 Spring street

CORN STARCH, Hecker's Farina, Potato Flour, Extracts Lemon, Vanilla and Orange; Lemons, Peaches, and all sorts of good things, at
sept16 LANGE & REED'S.

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50 DOZ. BROOMS, 5 Tons Sugar, 20 Sacks Coffee, for sale at 38 Spring st.
oct3 H. CLARK.

FAMILY MEDICINE STORE.

WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

J. H. TESCH,

12 Spring st., opposite American House,

HAS just received and opened, a well selected stock of

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

consisting in part of

PAINTS, LINSEED OIL, TURPENTINE, LAMP OIL,

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THOMSONIAN PREPARATIONS,

PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES,

which will be sold at wholesale and retail, and warranted to be as represented,—pure articles.

☞ *Physicians' Prescriptions* and family orders will be put up with particular care, by an experienced hand belonging to the establishment, and at all times of day or night

PATENT MEDICINES,

of all the most popular kinds; also a small stock of

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J. H. T. is also AGENT for the sale of Mr. Geo Tieman's (N Y,)

DENTAL & SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS,

and has now on hand a good assortment of

Tooth Keys, Forceps, Burs, Drills and Excavators, &c. &c.

Obstetrical Instruments, in cases or single

PHYSICIANS' POCKET CASES,

with Instruments, Vials, or empty A large lot of

Trusses, Shoulder Braces and Supporters,

of the most recent improved styles, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Agent for

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Dealers supplied at Proprietor's prices.

Sole Agent for Central Homœopathic Pharmacy of Leipsic,

and has always on hand all the different kinds of Homœopathic Remedies now in use of the various Tinctures, Trituration, or Medicated Globules, either in cases or by the single vial.

Homœopathic Sugar, Milk, pure (German) Globules; Homœopathic Vials, Corks, Sheets of Labels, Rules for Diet, &c. &c.

Also, Homœopathic Books, Pamphlets, and all the Standard Works on the System, in the English, French and German languages—all of which will be sold at reasonable prices for Cash.

Milwaukee, November 29, 1850 d

JENNY LIND—Paper printed in gilt; price 12½ cents; Graham's Magazine for November;
Complete sets of Harper's Magazine;
Thompson's Bank Note Reporter, etc, etc
nov2 at BIRD'S News Depot Post Office

PHRENOLOGICAL BOOKS.

B. BIRD has just received a large lot of New Books and Cheap Publications:—Among them may be found—Revelations, by A. J. Davis; Principles of the Human Mind, with a Lecture on Electro-Biology, by A Smee, F R S; The Philosophy of Electrical Psychology, by John Bovee Dods, and a complete list of all Fowler & Wells's Publications. Phrenological Busts, &c. &c. nov6 d&w

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CITY MILLS

SUPERFINE AND GRAHAM FLOUR, and Corn Meal, always on hand at
oct2 LANGE & REED'S,
285 East Water st

POWDER! POWDER!

THE subscribers are agents for the sale of the celebrated "Oregon" Powder; warranted to be equal to any in the market. Sporting and blasting, in quantities to suit purchasers. A liberal discount made to dealers. nov15 WEST & CURTIS

OF the right kind, full of LARD, from six to forty pounds each, for sale by n28 LANGE & REED.

MAP OF WISCONSIN,

NEW EDITION—This day published by
June18 S. CHAPMAN, Michigan st

FRESH TABLE BUTTER, at 39 Spring st.
oct2 H. CLARK.

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10 BALES Eastern Rags, first sort, received and for sale at JOHNSON'S.

REV. A. L. CHAPIN'S INAUGURAL DISCOURSE, for sale by
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LADIES' AND GENTS. Congress Gaiters and half Gaiters, manufactured to order on short notice.—Also constantly on hand custom-made work of all kinds, WARRANTED—and a general assortment of fashionable eastern work. Please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

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A. ELY
Milwaukee, Aug 10, 1850. 35

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DYER'S WASHING, BLEACHING AND

CLEANSING FLUID!

The greatest labor-saving article yet discovered

BY its use, washing machines and boards and hard rubbing, are entirely dispensed with, and not one quarter of the labor is required to do the washing of a family. The Fluid is a chemical compound of sufficient strength to extract all foreign substances from the cloth, by simply boiling a small quantity of it with the clothes, and without the slightest injury to the most delicate fabric

The expense is not more than that of the soap ordinarily used, and besides this it will be seen that the great wear and tear of clothing consequent upon the old method of hard rubbing upon a board, and the use of the pounding barrel, is wholly dispensed with, and a immense saving is thus made. It is emphatically the female's friend

☞ Warranted to give perfect satisfaction or the money will be refunded.

Prepared only by Charles Dyer, Jr, at his medical depot, 82 Westminster st, Providence, R I

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

174 East Water street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. 174

The undersigned keep constantly on hand a large and splendid assortment of **Ready Made Clothing,** and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, of the latest styles, as cheap as they can be had in the city of New York. There can also be found Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tailors' Trimmings, and every thing to be found in an extensive Clothing Establishment.

Country merchants and Clothiers, are invited to call and examine our Stock, as we can sell them Goods as cheap as they can get them at the East.

☞ Goods of the latest styles received every week from New York, by Express. ☞ Remember 174
sept16d1y LESSLER & JOSEPH

STOVES!

FOR THE

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE!

W. H. BYRON & CO.

ARE now receiving a very large stock of STOVES, to supply the Fall and Winter demand, consisting of

COOKING STOVES,

among which are

The New World, Western, Monarch, Gladiator, Premium,

and other desirable Patterns, with a complete assortment of Utensils, made of the best stock. Also,

PARLOR, HALL AND BOX STOVES,

of all sizes and varieties.

☞ All the above will be sold at LOWER PRICES than they have ever yet been offered, having been purchased under the most advantageous circumstances. ☞ *SIGN OF THE ANVIL.*
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C. OTT,

Number 255 East Water street, Milwaukee,

BOOKSELLER,

and dealer in Staple and Fancy **Stationery,** French, German and English **Books, Paints, Brushes, Toys & Fancy Articles, School Books** of all kinds, English and German.

☞ A fine assortment of the German Classics on hand

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1850.

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Are now in receipt of the largest and best selected stock ever brought to this market. In our stock will be found a very extensive and complete assortment of

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Keeseville Nails,

which we offer at the lowest market prices.

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Also Broad, Hand, and Lathing Hatchets, Adzes together with a most perfect and general assortment of

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in all its varieties. A full stock of

TIN PLATE, SHEET IRON, IRON WIRE, BRAZIER'S RODS,

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TINNERS' STOCK.

We are also agents for Peck, Smith & Co's **TINNERS' MACHINES AND TOOLS,** which we can at all times furnish at manufacturers' prices.

☞ The senior of our firm having spent nearly five months in the eastern markets, has given his personal attention to the importation and selection of our entire stock, and we feel confident it is not surpassed by any in the Western country, and which we offer for sale at prices that defy competition

WM. H. BYRON & CO.
November 20, 1850 d&c

HARRISON'S Columbian Writing Ink.—Black, blue, and Carmine; also Arno'd's Writing Fluid, Maynard & Noyes', David's & Black's. Dunbar's black, blue and red Inks, for sale in any quantity, by ROOD & WHITTEMORE.

LAKE SUPERIOR SISKAWITS—A fish equal to Salmon, just received by oct28 LANGE & REED.

GOOD BUTTER.—1400 weight good Dairy Butter, this day received at 39 Spring street, and to sell at a low price for cash.
oct26 H CLARK

Blindness Cured.

DR. KNAPP, OCULIST,

FROM ALBANY, N. Y., attends exclusively to cases of Blindness and Diseases of the Eyes, at his Eye Infirmary, No 229 East Water street, nearly opposite the City Hotel, Milwaukee.

Dr. K, while in Albany, had many patients from the Western States; and he would now invite all persons afflicted with blindness, or any diseases of the eyes to call at his office, as there will be no charge for examinations

Regular office hours from 9 to 12 o'clock daily, Sundays excepted.

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